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S. H.

Thursday

My Dear Sir

I am glad to
hear that Mr Murray
is soon to return the
M. S. - If the nature
of the work be such
as he likes - before
making any offer
he had better lay

himself or some
other person of
competent skill
inspect the whole
and make up his
mind in how
many volumes
and in what type
it ought to be
printed. Spottiswood

man took only a
cursorry view of it.

Thyself he is able to
make me a more
liberal offer than you
anticipate. I should
think I had better
publish at my own risk.

I am much concerned
to think of the trouble
you have about
the matter.

Yours truly
J. Payne Collier & Co. Publishers

